

DISPATCH		CLASSIFICATION SECRET	DISPATCH SYMBOL AND NO. DATA/27329
TO INFO	Chief, EE COB/Salsburg		HEADQUARTERS FILE NO. 6-124-27/2
FROM	Chief of Station, Vienna		DATE
SUBJECT	PROOVY GRCROOVED GRCIVING - Progress Report		RE. 6431 (CHECK ONE) <input type="checkbox"/> MARKED FOR INDEXING <input type="checkbox"/> NO INDEXING REQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> INDEXING CAN BE JUDGED BY QUALIFIED HQ DESK ONLY
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REFERENCE	EnSA 5417, 27 January 1961		

1. This agent is a part of the GRCROOVED stay-behind project, which is controlled by the Salsburg Base. The local contact with him in Vienna is maintained by
2. GRCIVING is paid no salary by us. He is motivated purely on idealistic grounds, and also he is rather proud of the association. The expenses incurred are for lunches, occasional gifts, and his traveling costs to and from training centers in Munich or Frankfurt. While he has sometimes been in somewhat straightened circumstances, no suggestion was ever made that help was intended from us. Recently however, GRCIVING's financial situation has improved because of sculpturing contracts in behalf of the Vienna City Government. He is also now lecturing at the Akademie der bildenden Kunst in Vienna.
3. About two years ago the agent recovered material which he had hidden some years before in the Vienna Tiergarten. Present caches are located in the area of his paternal home in Koenigs, Upper Austria. Recent inspection of the site indicates that all is in order there.
4. GRCIVING is a former Wehrmacht Funker and worked in Yugoslavia and France where he was made a prisoner in the area of Bourges, France. He was given a rating of "good" by W/T training officers in Frankfurt as a result of refresher training there in 1960.
5. The annual cost for trips to training area, gifts, and lunches in this operation can be fixed at approximately AS 7500.00 (\$300.00). Meetings are arranged by phone, a call being made to his apartment in Vienna about 2200 hours one day previous to contact.

PS: As a former German Army radio operator, the name ~~xxx~~ disadvantage ~~xxxxxxxxx~~ accrues to GRCIVING as to GRICK, described in the postscript to DATA-27329.

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